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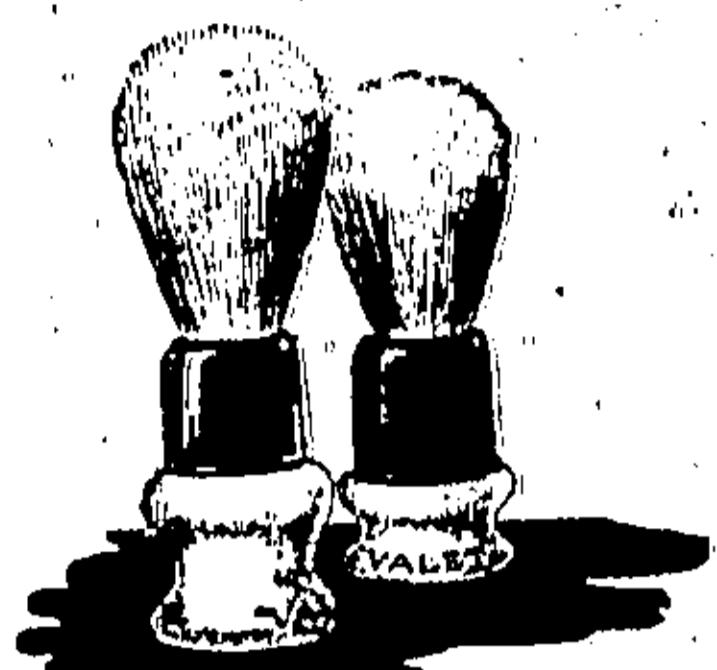
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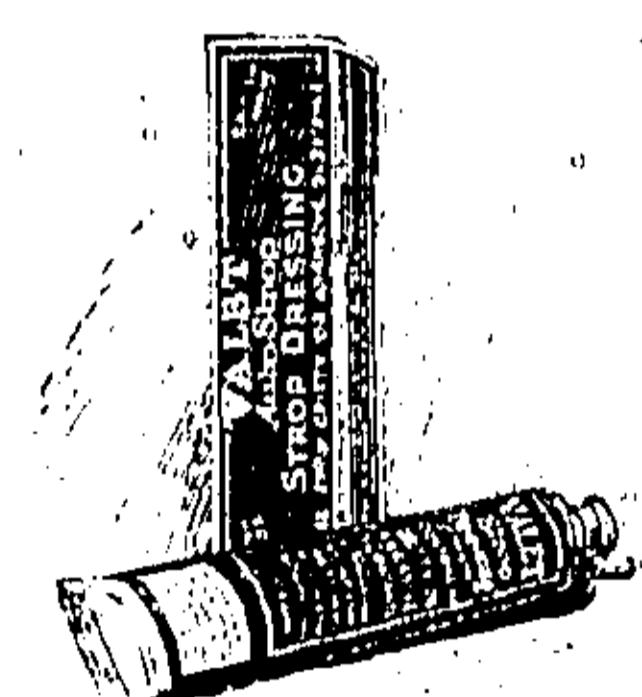
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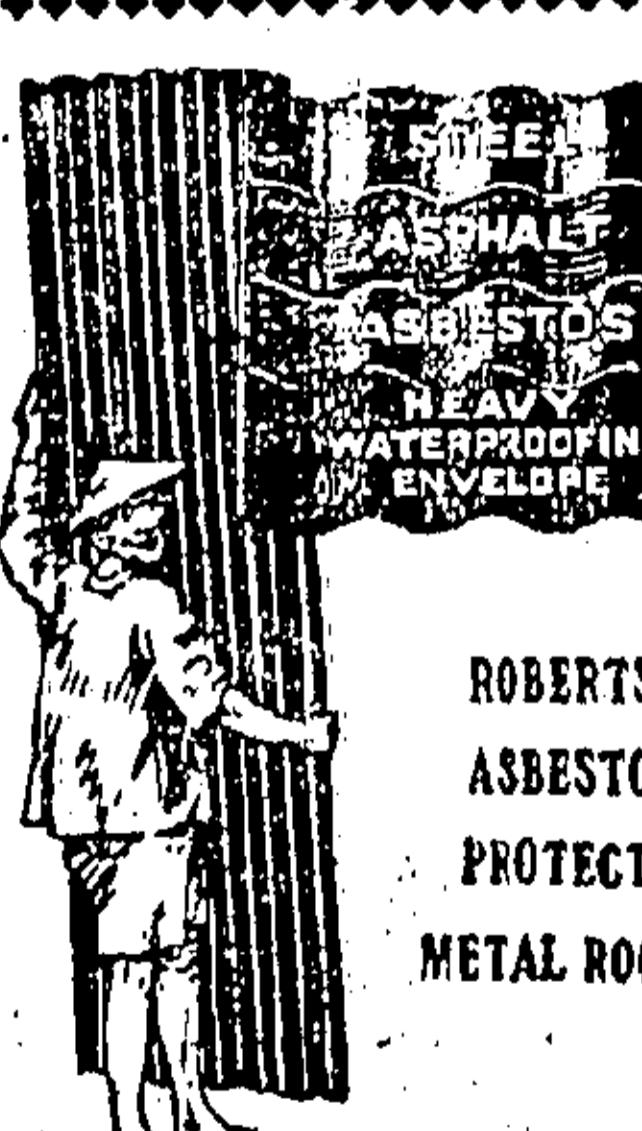
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### TO-DAY'S MEMORIAL SERVICES.

PRINCE GEORGE PRESENT.

Attended by His Excellency the Governor, H.R.H. Prince George, Executive and Legislative councils and military, naval and consular representatives, the memorial service to the late Queen Alexandra took place with fitting solemnity at St. John's Cathedral this morning.

Two bishops and twelve clergymen participated in the service. Among those present were Mr. Clementi, the Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, C.M.G., Colonial Secretary; Col. Russell Brown, Acting General Officer Commanding, Admiral Alexander Sinclair, Sir Paul Chater, Sir Henry Follett, K.C., the Hon. Mr. P. J. Holyoak, the Hon. C. McI. Messer, the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-sun, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, the Hon. Mr. H. Creasy, the Hon. Mr. D. W. Tratman, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, the Hon. Dr. J. E. Addison, the Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird, Mr. S. B. B. McElroy, Col. Montague Bates, Commodore Stirling, Lieut. E. D. T. Churcher, Commodore's Secretary, Major Trench, Major Macready, Lieut. Commander C. H. Drake, Mr. Roger Culver Tredwell, U.S. Consul-General, Mr. Yves du Chevalier, Consul for France, Captains, Flag Lieuts, Lieuts, and various from all the ships in the harbour.

The prayers were read by the Rev. T. E. Powell, Cathedral Chaplain, and the lessons by the Rt. Rev. Bishop W. Bannister. The Right Rev. C. R. Dunning, Bishop of Victoria, also took part in the service and other clergy present were: The Rev. W. F. Scott, R.N., Chaplain of H.M.S. "Hawkins"; the Rev. F. Freeman, R.N., H.M.S. "Hermes"; the Rev. G. Bewett, R.N., H.M.S. "Tamar"; the Rev. A. Rixton, H.M.S. "Durban"; the Rev. A. S. Hamilton, R.N., H.M.S. "Triton"; the Rev. Dr. W. W. Peters, the Rev. G. F. Stopford, the Rev. W. T. Featherstone, the Rev. E. W. L. Martin, the Rev. E. K. Quick, the Rev. C. B. Shaw, the Rev. G. E. S. Upsdell, the Rev. K. Yanke.

The service opened with the Funeral March by Chopin and Mendelssohn's "O Rest in the Lord," after which the processional hymn was sung. This was followed by passages from the Burial Service, prayers and responses, and Psalm 90. The lesson from Cor. 1 XV was read and the Benedicts sung. Further responses were followed by prayers for the Royal Family, with special reference to the passing of the late Queen Mother, and Stainer's "What are These That are Arrayed in White Robes?" sung.

On the conclusion of the hymn "Now the Labourer's Task is over," the Dead March from Saul was played by Mr. F. Mason who was at the organ throughout and the Last Post sounded, the service concluding with the Benediction and the Seventeen Amen and the Recessional Hymn "O God our Help in Ages Past."

Queen Alexandra Sisters.

An interesting feature of the service was the presence in uniform of Queen Alexandra sisters, trained for naval and military service at the institution in London founded by Queen Alexandra.

Service at Kowloon.

The service at St. Andrew's Church was conducted by the Rev. G. R. Lindsay, assisted by the Rev. J. Horace Johnston and the Rev. G. E. Arrowsmith. During the service the Dead March from Saul was played on the organ with the congregation standing.

The Rev. Lindsay said that his words would be few, but he felt that the gathering before him bore eloquent testimony to the life and character of the late Queen Alexandra. Ever since she came to our shores as Princess of Wales and later to become Queen, she had not only led as the first woman of the land by virtue of her position, but by the purity of her life and the nobility of her character she had set an example which others might follow, and our united sympathy would go out to the Royal Family. This service, he said, was symbolic of the

## CHAN KWING-MING.

### NOT HEAD OF "SECRET" SOCIETY.

DENIAL FROM SHANGHAI.

The Shanghai branch of the "Ce Kung Tong" publishes an emphatic denial that General Chan Kwing-ming has been appointed head of the society. The Tong referred to is distinct in most respects from those usually to be found in America. Supposed to have originated in China, its name became prominent in San Francisco during the Manchu regime when the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen was rumoured to have received considerable help from it.

In post-Revolution days it has been associated with Republican movements. Recently a statement was current that General Chan had been appointed "head." Now comes the denial of the Shanghai branch, an active offshoot of the parent body.

The Admiralty announces that an analysis of the sample of paint taken from the hull of the

## QUIET.

### LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE OPENS.

BUSINESS IN RUBBERS.

(Reuters' Service.)

London, Nov. 26. The Stock Exchange opened very quiet. Price movements were generally small. Business in rubber was fairly good, but selling is again progressing owing to the end of the account, and values are inclined to be easier.

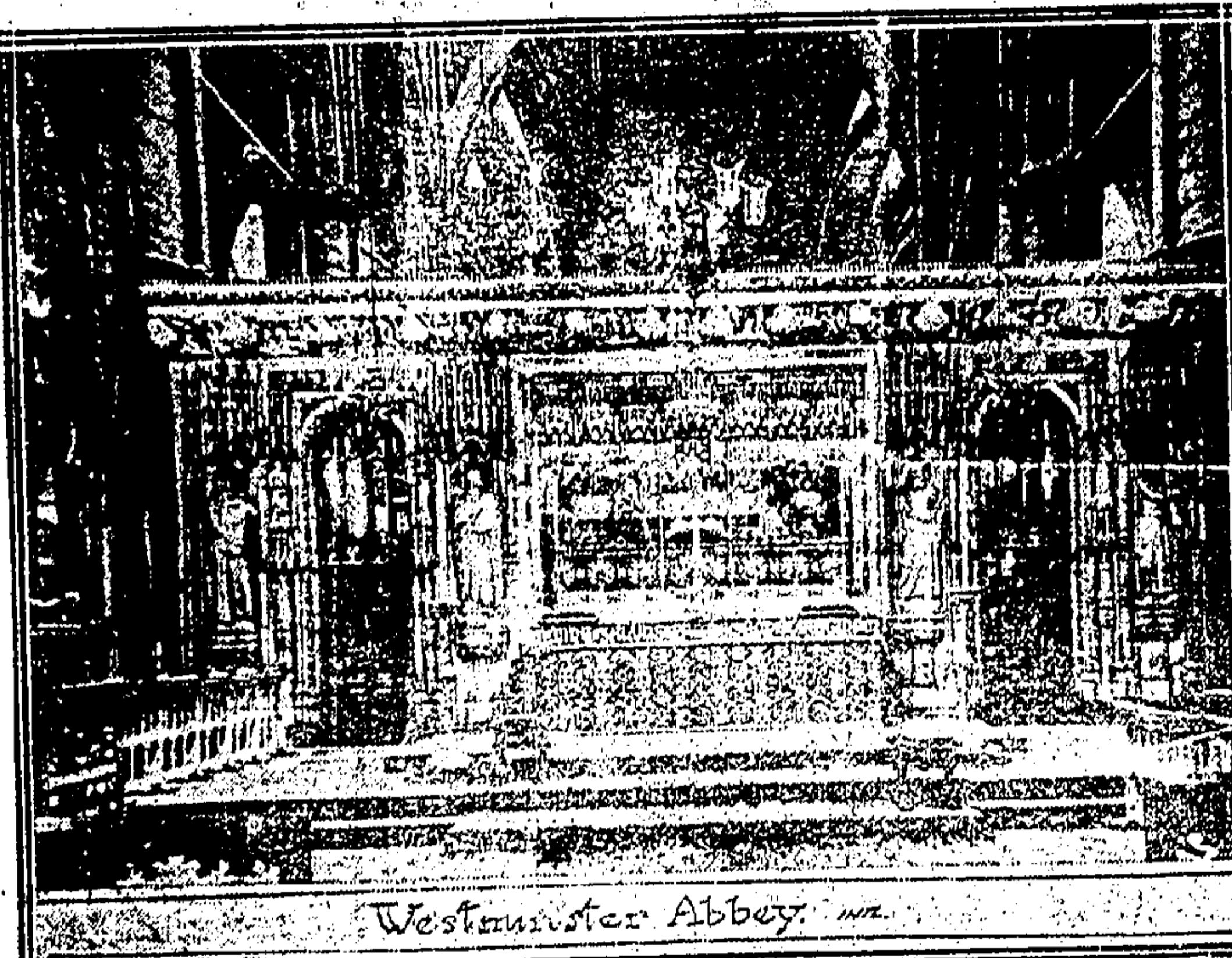
### THE MI.

#### CAUSE OF THE LOSS ESTABLISHED.

(Reuters' Service.)

London, Nov. 26. The Admiralty announces that an analysis of the sample of paint taken from the hull of the

QUEEN MOTHER'S PASSING.



White Hongkong, in common with other parts of the Empire, held memorial services to-day for the late Queen Alexandra. A great memorial service took place in London in Westminster Abbey. Photograph shows the high altar in the national shrine.

## IRISH CRISIS.

### LEADERS AND PRIME MINISTER.

IMPORTANT CONFERENCES.

(Reuters' Service.)

London, Nov. 26. The President of the Irish Free State, Mr. Cosgrave, and the Premier of North Ireland, Sir James Craig, separately had long conferences with the Prime Minister, Mr. Baldwin, at Downing Street, this morning, and Mr. Baldwin conferred with both together in the afternoon.

[The crisis relates to the fixing of the Irish boundary.]

"NO, I AM SORRY."

Later. Mr. Cosgrave and Sir James Craig interviewed Mr. Baldwin, after which they agreed no statement should be made.

Mr. Cosgrave went to Dublin. Interviewed by Reuter and asked whether he could say agreement had been reached, he replied:

"No, I am sorry."

## WARTHOG STRENGTH.

(Reuters' Service.)

London, Nov. 26.

In the House of Commons, questioned, Mr. Davidson stated that there were 466 effective warhogs on October 31, 1925, compared with 546 on March 31, 1924.

wonderful bond which existed between the British race and the members of the Royal Family. When thrones suffer so easily, it is better for the human race that bond should grow stronger and stronger.

The service closed with the singing of the National Anthem and the Benediction.

"Vidar" is considered to establish the cause of the loss of the submarine MI.

Yesterday's cables stated: Examination of the "Vidar" has not proved whether the damage was due to collision with the lost submarine MI, but an attempt will be made to collect enough of the supposed paint found in a few places on the hull for a sample to be forwarded to England for scrutiny.

## TRADE LOAN.

### M. Y. SAN & CO. TO GET TWO LAKHS.

Messrs. M. Y. San & Co., of Quen's Road Central are reported in the vernacular papers to have received confirmation from the Government that their application for \$200,000 for the Trade Loan has been approved.

## TRADE TREATY.

### GERMANY AND HOLLAND SIGN.

(Reuters' Service.)

Berlin, Nov. 26.

A German and Dutch commercial treaty has been signed, in the first place supplementing the agreement of 1858 and in the second dealing with the German and Dutch customs, also a credit agreement providing that the credit of \$10,000,000 for which Holland granted Germany in 1922 and falling due on 1930 shall be prolonged to 1927.

## SOVIET ENVOYS.

(Reuters' Service.)

Paris, Nov. 26.

The following team has been selected to represent the Kowloon Russian Club tomorrow. (First KOWLOON RUSSIAN CLUB, on the 2nd floor, Kowloon Club, Kowloon.) Kick off 4.15 p.m.: V. G. Chicherin, Commissar of Foreign Affairs, accompanied by M. Rakovsky, the new Soviet Ambassador; had an hour's conversation with M. Briand, and later conversed with M. Berthelot.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Edward Lewis, Agent, to be Official Receiver in Bankruptcy.

## HUNGRY TROOPS.

### ANTI-RED DESTITUTES ARRIVE.

WAICHOW DEFENDERS' FLIGHT.

Literally "at the last ditch," worn-in and deprived of their arms in a strange land after being three days without food, about 200 of General Chan Kwing-ming's soldiers arrived here yesterday by the sea. "Haiching" from Amoy and were taken in hand by the police for repatriation.

These destitute soldiers are mostly Waichow men and were in the 11th detachment of the anti-Red army commanded by General Yeung Kwan-yu, the defender of Waichow.

In their long trek across Fukien province they fought several rearguard actions with the Whampoa Cadets who pursued them relentlessly. Near Cheung Chow there were still over 1,000 men in the detachment. Commander Cheung Ngai, who had

## SHARE MARKET.

### BUSINESS REPORTED TO BE IMPROVING.

CASH TRANSACTIONS MOSTLY.

According to to-day's vernacular papers the local share market saw an increased volume of business yesterday after the reported improvement as the result of an optimistic feeling that trade conditions will improve.

Most of the transactions are said to be for cash.

## BAD TRADE.

### HOW BRITAIN HAS SUFFERED.

(Reuters' Service.)

London, Nov. 26. Changes against the Government of failing in the past three months to propose measures for adequately dealing with unemployment were embodied in a vote of censure moved by the Labour Opposition. Sir A. Steel Maitland, the Government spokesman, declared the state of trade unquestionably showed a very distinct improvement at present, though very dark patches remained.

Later. In the course of the unemployment debate, Mr. Lloyd George pointed out that whereas the volume of the world's trade in 1924 had recovered to the 1923 level, British export trade only recovered 74 per cent, while France's proportion was 110. The United States was up by ten per cent, and Japan had more than doubled. The only country in the same or a worse position than Britain was Germany, and she was found to benefit a result of the Locarno deliberations.

Sir A. Steel Maitland, on behalf of the Government, emphasised that the depression in the coal trade had extended over many European countries. There was a distinct improvement in the cotton and woollen trades, and a slight perceptible one in iron and steel.

He thought that with the expected big harvest crops there was hopefulness for the really very hard hit shipbuilding trade.

He deprecated relief schemes where they were merely palliatives and said the Government hoped to get the safeguarding duties passed before Christmas.

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Mr. Ramsay MacDonald ridiculed the contention that the re-imposition of the McKenna duties would be followed by greater employment and declared it would result in the contrary case.

Later. The vote of censure resolution was defeated by 322 to 133 votes.

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**FAIRMAIS CHARGE.****QUELSEA PENSIONER'S MEMORIES.****"COME BACK!" SHOUT.**

"A rush of troopers and the rise and fall of bright sabres. This was what Pensioner W. Piker, of Chelsea, told 'The Daily Mirror' he saw from the heights of Balacava when the gallant Light Brigade rode into the Valley of Death seventy-one years ago."

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"Bless my heart, they seemed to be going to certain death. We saw coats and plumes tossing in the wind and sabres rising and falling."

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"KASHGAR"	9,006	26th Dec. 1926	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"MACEDONIA"	11,089	9th Jan.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KHYBER"	9,111	10th Jan.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"DELTA"	8,697	4th Feb.	Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Bombay
"HALIMA"	10,639	1st Feb.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KARMA"	9,639	20th Feb.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"ARTICA"	10,203	6th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KASHMIR"	8,625	12th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KHIVA"	9,146	20th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"MOREA"	10,918	3rd April	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"DEVANAH"	9,155	17th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KALYAN"	9,144	21st April	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
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"ARAFOURA"	6,000	12th Dec.	Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"TAKADA"	8,615	24th Dec.	Kobe.
"KHYBER"	9,114	28th Dec. 1926	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"SICILIA"	6,919	1st Jan.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"MALWA"	10,941	6th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"DELLA"	8,987	8th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	9th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"TANDA"	6,956	23rd Jan.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KALYAN"	9,144	28th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"MANUA"	10,002	1st Feb.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KASHMIR"	8,986	11th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"TANDA"	6,658	16th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KHIVA"	9,132	20th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KOREA"	10,911	8th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"ARAFOURA"	8,000	13th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KALYAN"	9,144	13th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"DEVANAH"	8,156	20th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"MACEDONIA"	11,089	3rd April	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,603	10th April	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"ARAFOURA"	6,000	16th April	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KALYAN"	9,144	20th April	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"MANUA"	10,941	14th May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"KASHMIR"	8,986	28th May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.
"TANDA"	6,658	11th June	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.

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One of the most destructive fires in the history of Southampton occurred in a seven-story bonded dock warehouse belonging to the Southern Railway Company.

The premises, which were built in 1850, contained 150 tons of tobacco and thousands of bottles of wine and beer, besides much valuable machinery.

The outbreak was first noticed at 9 p.m., and the dock fire-engine was rushed to the scene. It could not cope with the flames, however, and the Southampton Fire Brigade was therefore sent for.

Sixty firemen fought the flames, and at 5 o'clock it seemed that they were getting the outbreak under control. At 6.30, however, the fire broke out with renewed vigour, and within an hour the entire building was involved. Ultimately the roof collapsed and a great sheet of flame leapt to a great height.

Shortly after nine o'clock the flames were subdued and the building stood as a skeleton against the skyline, great clouds of steam issuing from the interior.

Fireman W. Jope, badly cut about the eye by a falling beam and also affected by the fumes, was taken to hospital.



J. Pierpoint Moffatt is now secretary at the White House.

Several important diplomatic dinners have been arranged for the winter.

## PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per D.L. ss "Presto" on Nov. 26.—Mr. K. O. B. Cook, Mrs. L. B. Brindford, Mr. Che Y. Ho, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Cooper, Mr. Charles D. Chappell, Mr. Ch. Teng-shan, Miss Chen Yong-hian, Mr. Ob. W. Way, Mr. and Mrs. E. Davis, Mr. Joe V. Vining, Miss L. L. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Judie, Mr. Kwok Wing-chun, Mr. Clark, Miss Mrs. Shuhung, Master Liang Hui-jen, Miss G. S. Andrews, Horace H. Atkinson, G. E. O. Butler, Mr. J. C. Gowen, Mr. H. Cruz, Dr. J. B. Dunlap, Mr. T. Foyle, Mrs. E. M. Fox, Mr. D. G. Godwin, Miss D. G. Godwin, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hardin, Mrs. H. Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Truett and Mr. Wong Hin.

Per D.L. ss "Presto" on Nov. 26.—

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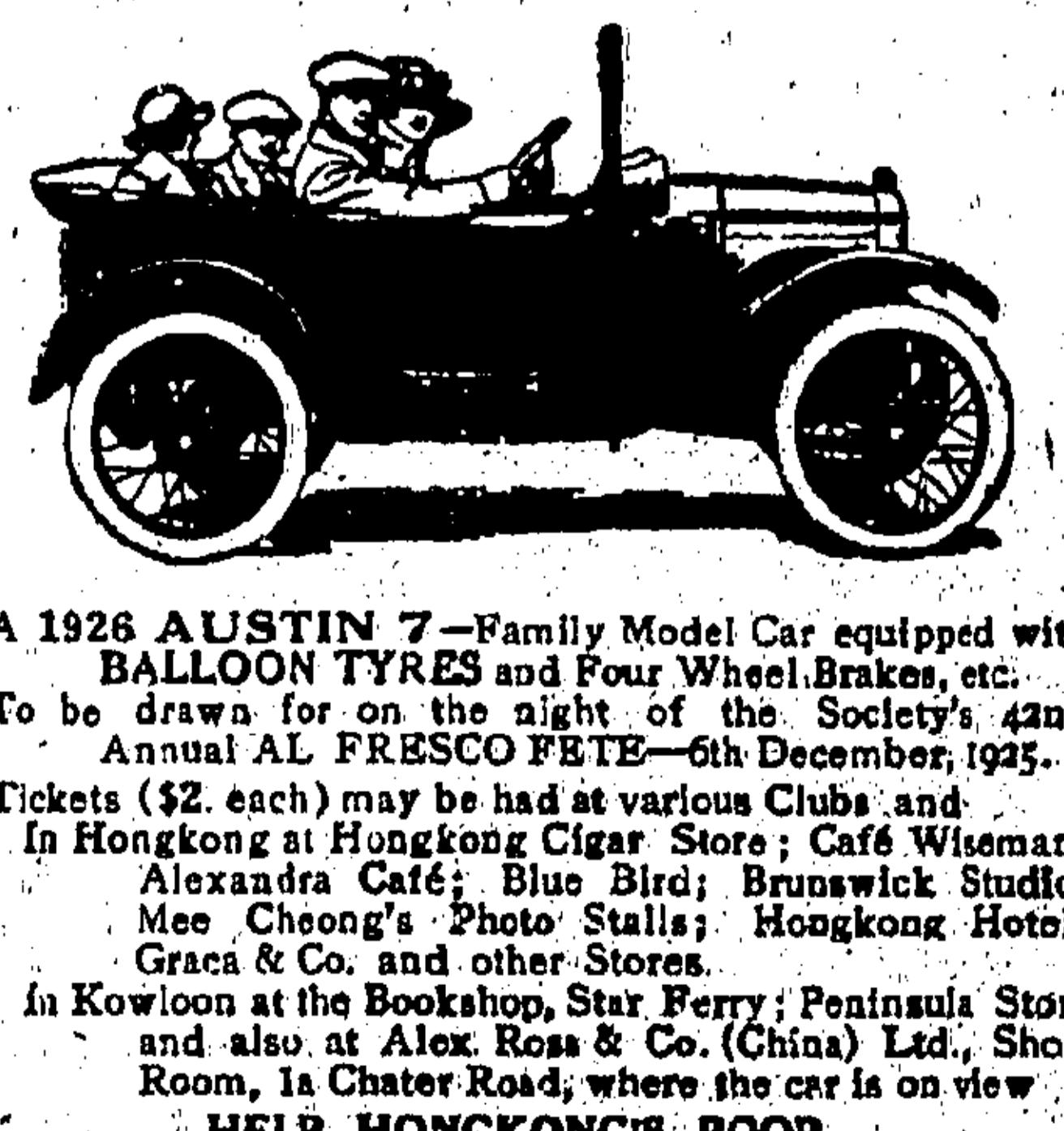
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A 1926 AUSTIN 7-Family Model Car equipped with BALLOON TYRES and Four Wheel Brakes, etc. To be drawn for on the night of the Society's 42nd Annual AL FRESCO FETE—5th December, 1925. Tickets (\$2. each) may be had at various Clubs and in Hongkong at Hongkong Cigar Stores; Café Wiseman; Alexandra Cafè; Blue Bird; Brunswick Studio; Mee Cheong's Photo Stalls; Hongkong Hotel; Gracia & Co. and other Stores. In Kowloon at the Bookshop, Star Ferry; Peninsula Store and also at Alex Ross & Co. (China) Ltd., Show Room, 1A Chater Road; where the car is on view. HELP HONGKONG'S POOR.

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Hongkong, Friday, November 27, 1925.

### QUEEN MOTHER.

An old saying has it that God, being very busy, invented mothers! It is the remembrance of the qualities that go to the making of a true woman, that has made the passing of Queen Alexandra so personal and so poignant. The quietness and dignity of a long life have ended and the ending must lead to the solemn thought that "this mortality puts on immortality," that "there is no death—what seems so is transition." So the nation is reminded once again that in comparison with the qualities of influence and the imaging of conduct of a mother, never a much needed fact in the present time.

### FRANCE'S PREMIER.

BRIAND TO FORM CABINET.

HERRIOT'S EFFORT FAILS.

(Reuters' Service.)

Paris, Nov. 25.  
M. Harriot has abandoned the attempt to form a Cabinet.

Later.

A resolution passed by the Socialist Party at a meeting declares its readiness, if it takes office, to carry out its financial programme, either alone or in collaboration with the parties of Republican and Democracy, but it is impossible to reach an agreement on the financial situation among all the Parliamentary representatives of the Left, especially as regards the question of inflation. On the other hand the measure of authority and responsibility which the Socialists would enjoy in the Harriot combination does not offer sufficient scope for the exercise of the bold and decisive measures imperatively demanded. Therefore the Party is unable to co-operate with M. Harriot.

The decisive measures mentioned refer to the Socialist plan for a capital levy.

Briand Called.

Paris, Nov. 26.  
Senator Sarraut, belonging to the Right Wing of the Radical Party has been summoned to the Elysee.

Paris, Nov. 26.  
M. Briand has agreed to form a Cabinet.

Paris, Nov. 26.  
M. Doumergue's decision to summon M. Briand to the Elysee was taken after consultation with M. Sarraut and M. de Selves (President of the Senate) and M. Casals, President of the Radical Socialist group, in the Chamber of Deputies.

Franc Down.

London, Nov. 26.  
The French franc in London was 176.93 to-day.

EARLIER CABLES.

Paris, Nov. 26.  
In face of the depreciation of the Franc, the public is but languidly interested in the Cabinet crisis and generally doubt whether settlement of the latter will do much to aid a solution of the former. In view of the notorious party disagreement, the more sensational newspapers even talk of plans afoot to establish a dictatorship.

M. Harriot, who fell on the financial issue in April, stated last night that his ideas as regards finance are unaltered, but nevertheless he is zestfully seeking the co-operation of the whole Cartel. He extracted a provisional promise of Socialist support, after which he interviewed several Cartel leaders until after midnight. Four Cartel parties in joint meeting adjourned until to-day to endeavour to draft an agreed financial scheme.

M. Auriol, Socialist Chairman of the Finance Commission, is mentioned as probable Finance Minister.

It is known that M. Harriot hopes to retain M. Briand as Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Paris, Nov. 26.  
The Cabinet crisis is perhaps the most difficult in the history of the Third Republic. The attitude of the Socialists remains a stumbling block and a split in their ranks is now threatened on the question of joining the Cabinet.

Finance dominates the situation. M. Harriot conferred with the Socialist leaders last night and promised to do his utmost to avoid inflation but the measures he indicated, including the stamping of notes for purposes of revenue instead of a fresh issue of notes has not yet succeeded in overcoming their objections.

M. Harriot's conversations with the Socialist leaders were fruitless and they announced to-day that while they sympathised with his attempts to form a ministry they declined to participate therein.

Among the passengers who departed by the M.M.S. Angora yesterday were H.H. The Maharajah of Dharampur, H.H. The Maharajah of Dharampur, Prince Jawant Kunvar, Prince Probob Kunvar and other members of his suite. His Highness and his party are returning to India. They arrived in Hongkong last Friday by the R.M.S. Empress of Australia, after a tour of Japan.

At the Hongkong Hotel during their return here spending the

## SHREDS AND PATCHES.

The beetle that exterminates the death that stalks watch beetle reminds one of Mr. William Beebe, a natural history observer, who notes, in the "Cornhill," the sequence of destruction detailed below, from observation of a fallen tree:

This is the bird that caught the lizard that ate the wasp that stung the spider that sucked the fly that killed the grub the son of the beetle that gnawed the tree that fell in the storm at Cartabio. Or to be more technically explicit:

This is the Atida that caught the Cnemidophorus that ate the Pompadur that stung the Tachnid that killed the immature Coleopterum the son of the Elater that gnawed the Vochisian that fell in the meteorological disturbance of Cartabio.

George Washington had other virtues besides those of telling the truth. He was against swearing. To bear this out—and as it is likely to interest those who are interested in English undefended—the Shredsmen has dug up a copy of an order issued by the illustrious George:

GENERAL ORDER.  
(Issued by General George Washington in New York, July, 1776.)

The General is sorry to be informed that the foolish and wicked practice of profane cursing and swearing, a vice heretofore little known in an American army, is growing into fashion. He hopes the officers will, by example as well as influence, endeavour to check it, and that both they and the men will

Franc Down.

"I own two motor-cars. I live amidst surroundings that to many people would seem luxurious. I am, in fact, the sort of person against whom the whole of the Socialist propaganda seems to be launched, and when I listen to current political discussion I find myself regarded not only as a superfluous but as a bar to progress, as one of the causes of poverty, want, and distress.

"My bookshelves are crammed with volumes explaining what an evil creature I am. I possess numbers of books telling me how beautiful the world would be if only I and my class could be eradicated.

"All this is boiled down at the street-corner to the charge of straightforward robbery."

"The main cause of the majority of our troubles is the modern mania for invoking public action, for taking money which would be productive and useful if left in private hands, and rendering it sterile and useless in the dead hand of the State machine."

—From Sir Ernest Benn's book, *The Confessions of a Capitalist* (Hutchinson, 18s. net).

"It has become fashionable to belittle the part of the individual in the daily life of the world. Thus we are often enough told that the individual is nothing without society. In a sense, that may be true: the more complicated any society, the more necessary, is it for individuals to co-operate with one another," states the "Liverpool Post."

"Besides, in an old and densely populated country human sympathies are greatly stimulated, if only by the mere fact of contact. But though human association is an indispensable condition of the highest civilisation, we ought not to imagine that the individual tends to be submerged in the multitude, and that individual initiative is of less account to-day than it was in more primitive times."

"The fact is that society is dependent upon individual impulse or enterprise for all change, whether it may prove to be benevolent or other, and those who talk so loudly about the power of the State to do this or that, as if the State itself was not the creature of individual will, are deceiving themselves about the true nature of human affairs."

"These racy chapters team with controversial things, but they are all based upon the experience of a keen business man well known as an excellent employer, and one has the agreeable assurance all through that he plots and works towards the same goal as the rest of us—namely, the welfare of the people."

The above is by way of preface to a series of articles in the "Daily Mail" on the subject of the "Confessions of a Capitalist," while the "Daily Mail" itself is a voice of the middle-class."

"Dye ken John JOHN PEEL with his coat COAT—so—" "Gray" or

"Gray" that is the question. Three times recently I have come across this song or extracts from it and on two out

of the three occasions the coat was gray instead of gay. What is more, a recent article in "Punch" depended entirely for its point on the coat being gray. Can any light be thrown on it?"

A "coat so gray" seems a peculiar expression to use, but there must be some reason for this version being adopted in more than one anthology. What is the reason and which version is correct? Such is the plea of a correspondent:

"John Peel" always wore a long "hodden-gray" coat which was made at Calbeck (Cumberland) woollen mill, in old days

"Coat so gray" as an expression is better suited to one's robbery in

"Cannie Auld Cumberland."

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1925.

VOLUNTEER ORDERS.

FIELD DAY.

Sunday, November 29.—The Engineer and Armoured Car Companies will proceed to Fanling Station by the 9.15 a.m. train from Kowloon.

The Engineer Company is allotted the Field Firing Range from 09.30 hours to 13.00 hours and the Armoured Car Company from 13.30 hours to 17.00 hours.

N.C.O.'s Companies are responsible that no recruit who has not

previously qualified in Part I, of the Musketry Course is permitted to fire in the Field Firing Practices.

Companies will be at disposal of their Commanders for training during the hours when they are not occupying the Field Firing Ranges.

Return to Kowloon by 5.51 p.m. train from Fanling Station.

Dress:—Helmet, Khaki jacket, shorts, putties, rifle, bayonet, belt, braces, pouches, haversack and waterbottle.

Haversack rations should be taken.

ARTILLERY COMPANY.

City Section parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 1. Dress: Mufti.

Taikoo Section parade at Tai- koo at 5.15 p.m. on Friday, December 4. Dress: Mufti.

ENGINEER COMPANY.

All Sections parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, November 30. Dress: Mufti.

Field Section parade at Corps Headquarters from 5.30 to 7.30 p.m. on Monday, November 30 for Practical Field Geometry. Dress: Mufti.

Field Company.—A lecture for N.C.O.'s (more particularly Field Coy. N.C.O.'s) and others interested will be given at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, December 3 at 5.30 p.m.

Subject:—"Water Supply and Camp Provisions."

Signal Section parade at Corps Headquarters from 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. on Thursday, December 3 for Buzzer Practice. Dress: Mufti.

The Miniature Range at Corps Headquarters is at the disposal of the Engineer Company at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, December 3. Dress: Mufti.

MOUNTED INFANTRY COMPANY.

A Field Day will be held on Sunday, December 6, 1925.

Particulars will be issued later.

ARMED CAR COMPANY.

Field Day, November 29.—For Field Day in the New Territory. All ranks with the exception of the Motor Cyclists will take the 9.15 a.m. train for Fanling Station.

Dress:—Full Equipment, rifles and bayonets, haversacks and waterbottles.

Rifles must be drawn before 1 p.m. on Saturday, November 28. Motor Cyclists will not carry side arms and may wear breeches. As no cars will be taken, Drivers will parade with the Gunners. Motor Cyclists will parade outside the Railway Station at 9.10 a.m. for a formation run to Fanling, after which if time permits they will be allowed to fire.

Note:—Each man must provide his own rations, but drinks will be obtainable at Fanling Station.

Members living in Hongkong will parade at Corps Headquarters at 8.30 a.m.

Those living in Kowloon will parade at Kowloon Station at 8.45 a.m.

Monday, November 30.—All ranks will parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. for Gun and Armoured Car Drill under Sgt. Hancock.

Wednesday, December 2.—N.C.O.'s parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.45 p.m. under Sgt. Hancock.

INFANTRY COMPANY.

N.C.O.'s Class parade at Corps Headquarters on Monday, November 30, at 5.30 p.m. under Sgt. Major Wright. Dress: Mufti.

Musketry Part II.—Infantry Company Casuals will be fired at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, November 29.

Range Officer: 2nd Lieut. R. R. Davies, M.C., M.M.

Launch will leave Murray Pier at 9 a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier at 9.10 a.m.

Dress: Uniform optional, but rifles, bayonets and pouches must be taken.

Arms: Rifles and bayonets will be drawn from Headquarters on Friday, November 27 between 10 a.m. and 12 noon, or 2 and 4 p.m. or 5 and 6 p.m. and on Saturday, November 28 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Field day will be held on Sunday, December 6, 1925. Particulars will be issued later.

No. 2 Platoon: Musketry Part II.—Next Sunday is the last opportunity for firing this course, and the following must attend unless they wish to be fined. Dress: Mufti.

A HIGH IDEAL.

MR. CLEMENTI AND Y.M.C.A. OBJECTS.

THE NEW BUILDING.

ADMIRATION OF ITS MANY FACILITIES.

Providing not only excellent residential facilities but the means for indoor relaxation and study. Holyoak in conclusion, that one of the great needs of the Colony to-day, and which is capable of still further development, is the Y.M.C.A. building and has been emphasized more particularly during the last few months, is a common ground for meeting and coming together of our Chinese friends that we may better understand each other and create that atmosphere of mutual trust and friendship, with which neither the Y.M.C.A. nor the Colony can achieve their best results. (Applause).

His Excellency the Governor, Mr. Cecil Clementi, in the presence of His Excellency the Governor, Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Vice-President, and the Rev. J. Kirk Macconachie, then addressed

H.E. the Governor (Mr. Cecil Clementi, C.M.G.), then addressed

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THE NEW ERA.

GERMANY AND SECURITY FACT.

LOCARNO BILL CARRIED.

(Reuter's Service.)

Berlin, Nov. 26.

The Reichstag by 271 to 169 passed the second reading of the Locarno Bill embodying acceptance of the security pact and arbitration treaties and Germany's entry into the League of Nations after rejecting an amendment by 242 to 169 votes.

The minority consisted of German Nationals, Communists, Extreme Nationals and some members of the Economic Party.

THE DENISHAWN DANCERS.

A SPLENDID ATTRACTION.

The famous Denishawn dancers will appear for one night only at the Queen's Theatre next week, and are sure to attract a very big house. They have just completed a highly successful season in Shanghai, where, on the opening night, a capacity crowd waited for one hour to gain admittance to the theatre.

The Company includes such renowned dancers as Miss Ruth St. Denis and Mr. Ted Shawn. Of Miss St. Denis it has been said that she dances as the birds sing and the flowers grow—just naturally, and that is the greatest tribute that can be paid her. The art of the two principals are known all over the world, and they need no words to command them to Hong Kong theatregoers.

They are supported by Miss Doris Humphrey, a creative artist of unusual talent, Miss Anne Douglas, whose charm and daintiness captivates everyone, Charles Weldman, a worthy second to Ted Shawn, and Miss Jeordie Graham, a winsome little lady of considerable ability.

The Denishawn will appear at the Queen's on Tuesday for one night only, and those who desire a splendid evening's entertainment should not delay booking at Mouties.

One British imported case of smallpox occurred in the Colony on Wednesday.

Acquiring three Police searchers of having taken the money hawker was discharged by Mr. R. E. Lindström at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of obtaining \$17 "squeeze" from a new-comer who arrived with three crates of chickens. His Worship ordered an examination of the searchers by the inspector in charge.

and one machine has been installed for the present. The firm has also installed automatic switch-control for the various pumps.

The floor and wall tiling for the building was supplied by Messrs. Shaw & Tones and Co., the local agents for the well-known tile manufacturers, Messrs. T. and R. Boots, Ltd., of Burgham.

The passenger lift, also obtained through Messrs. Shaw & Tones, was manufactured by Messrs. R. A. Evans, Leicester, and the service water pipe by Messrs. Fairbanks Morse and Co., as well as the fire pumps and fire service, meeting with the benediction.

Conveniences.

The installation of the hot water system in the new Y.M.C.A.

had said, bricks and mortar and playing fields that were of supreme value to this Association.

The Association stood for a very high ideal—the ideal of perfect manhood.

It was not only, as Mr. Holyoak

had said, bricks and mortar and playing fields that were of supreme value to this Association.

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Perfection was hard to get in any sphere, especially as regards human beings.

Notwithstanding, they would do well to remember, history told them that the aspirations that had seemed unattainable in one millennium had become everyday achievements in the next millennium.

No one could be blamed for hitching his wagon to a star, and he trusted that the real ideals that Christianity stood for would be realized in this institution. (Applause).

The Rev. J. Kirk Macconachie, being called upon to add a few words, said he understood he was asked to speak as one representing the general aims of the Y.M.C.A.

Sir Henry said that it stood not only for *mens sana in corpore sano*

(a healthy mind in a healthy body), but also for spiritual

outlook which induced men to carry the practice of the teaching

of the Gospels into their everyday life.

Sir Henry also mentioned with appreciation that they had received from the Chinese Y.M.C.A. fraternal greetings and also a mirror which had been placed in the building.

Early Days.

At an assembly in the lounge which followed, the Hon. Mr. P.

H. Holyoak, Vice-President, outlined the history of the Association and the plans for its extension.

He referred to the first official opening of a branch of the

Y.M.C.A. on the top floor of

Alexandra Buildings and to the

change of headquarters necessitated in 1914 by plague.

Temporary quarters were taken in what is now the Hongkong Bank

extension and in the meantime a

fund was started which had

proved the nucleus of what had

eventually enabled the present

building to be erected. This was

sent home and invested in

stocks and shares.

The present building had been

acquired by the directors in

1924, Sir R. E. Stubbs who laid the

foundation stone.

On December 24, 1924, the building

was opened by the Bishop of

Victoria, who closed the

ceremony with the benediction.

Prayers were then said by the

Bishop of Victoria who closed the

ceremony with the benediction.

The circulation is assisted by the

installation of a motor driven

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**"CHINA MAIL" SPORTS PAGE****LOCAL BOXING.**

ABOUT 150 ENTRIES FOR "NOVICES."

**COMING TOURNAMENTS.**

About 150 entries are expected for the novices boxing tournament organised by the Hongkong Boxing Association.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. T. G. Bennett, honorary secretary, had received 124. A committee meeting was held in the evening and it was then anticipated that another batch would be handed in.

This number proves the popularity of the "manly art" in the Colony. Rules for the novices' tournament were published a few days ago. The dates fixed are:

Preliminaries: November 30 and December 1 at Murray Barracks open ring.

Finals: At Theatre Royal, December 7, the night of the second tournament of the season.

**"Big" Fights.**

Mr. Bennett also spoke, in reply to a query with regard to bouts being planned for dates which had already been booked this season. He said that Major's challenge would come up for consideration at yesterday's meeting as would other matters. However, the signing of articles also depended on the tentative contestants being approached.

The Seaman Gardner, of H.M.S. "Hermes," is reported as about to proceed Home shortly. As Harry Major's challenge (published in Wednesday's "China Mail") stipulates a feather-weight championship bout bout in January, it is therefore unlikely that they will meet. Drummer Bowles, of the Surrey Regiment, has accepted Major's challenge and prefers an earlier date.

**Piper Going Home.**

Leading Stoker Piper, of H.M.'s Submarines, is leaving for Home next week. It is a pity that he has not had another opportunity of meeting Marine Betts ("Hawkins") over championship distance in the Theatre Royal. Against a far more experienced opponent in Stoker Morris, Piper put up a game fight last Saturday and stood gamely up to terrific punishment. In the first round or two Piper showed delightful footwork. For a time his piston-like straight left also kept Morris from asserting an advantage at in-fighting. Until his defence was pierced he looked like putting up a very creditable showing. As it was Piper demonstrated that if he continues in the game he should learn what will benefit him most at Home, viz., ringcraft. He certainly has a good punch and convincing style. With luck on his side he should be heard of later as more than a promising welterweight.

A proposal brought forward yesterday at an extraordinary general meeting of members of the Craigengower Cricket Club to increase the entrance fee and annual subscription was defeated by a large majority.

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club in this friendly cricket match with the Hongkong C.C. 2nd XI tomorrow:—D. Fritz (Capt.), T. Grimes, B. W. Bradbury, R. C. Reed, S. Abbas, A. Hudson, E. Hanson, F. Schnepel, A. Kitchell, E. Fischer, H. Lim.



The bust of "Big Six," the work of Gertrude Boyce, will likely be placed at the Glenside home in New York where Maude, son well-known many stirring victories, now, however, leaves placing the statue in the Hall of Fame at Becknell.

**HOME TURF.****LIVERPOOL CUP NECK VICTORY.****OUTSIDERS IN 17 WINS.****(Times of Ceylon.)**

London, Nov. 13. The Liverpool Cup resulted as follows:—

Donzelon	1
Amethystine	2
Sparus	3
Seven ran	
Donzelon	won by a neck; a length separated second and third.
Betting:—100 to 6 against Donzelon, 9 to 1 against Amethystine, 15 to 2 against Sparus.	

**Victoria Oaks.****Flemington, Nov. 5.**

The race for the Victoria Oaks resulted as follows:—

Red Siak	1
Ethelton	2
Bonnie Reine	3
Five ran	won by a neck, two lengths between second and third.
Time: 2 mins. 38½ secs.	
Betting:—9 to 2 against Red Siak; 11 to 8 against Ethelton; 5 to 1 against Bonnie Reine.	



WANDA DANLEY.

**World's champion sprinter is the title sought by Wanda Danley, eighteen. She recently defeated Helen Filkey, world's champion in the dashes.**

The following will represent St. Joseph's College Reserves in a League (Div. II, Sec. B) football match against Mosien "B" on the College ground to-morrow at 2.45 p.m.—J. Pao; J. Ng, J. Delgado, J. Cruz, J. Houghton, F. Lee, C. Huachuma, Tai Yew-ai, K. Omar, J. Cueto, A. Rubim (Capt.).

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club Reserves in their League (Div. II, Sec. A) fixture with the Drums on South China ground to-morrow at 2.45 p.m. sharp:—G. B. Slipper, D. Lyon (Captain), H. Oswick; D. Black, S. H. Garrod, G. Funchess; J. Douglas, S. O. Hill, A. McBride, T. Pile, G. Curtis.

**INTER-SCHOOL MATCH.**

At the I.R.C. ground on Wednesday Queen's College beat the Sookumpoo School for Indians by 14 runs.

Queen's College.

M. Sabham, b Suffield

I. Haroon, run out

M. Razack, b Suffield

A. S. Suffield, b Fletcher

O. Hassan, c Ismail, b Fletcher

F. Ismail, c Hassan, b Fletcher

M. R. Abbas, c Moosa, b Suffield

A. K. Ismail, c Kitchell, b Suffield

Mit Singh, c & b Suffield

J. Mohammed, b Fletcher

Y. J. Khan, not out

Extras

Total

Bowling Analysis

O. M. R. W.

Jones 11 4 26 1

Beatty 5 1 11 0

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Halsey 1 4 2 58 7

Bennett 6 2 15 2

Royal Navy.

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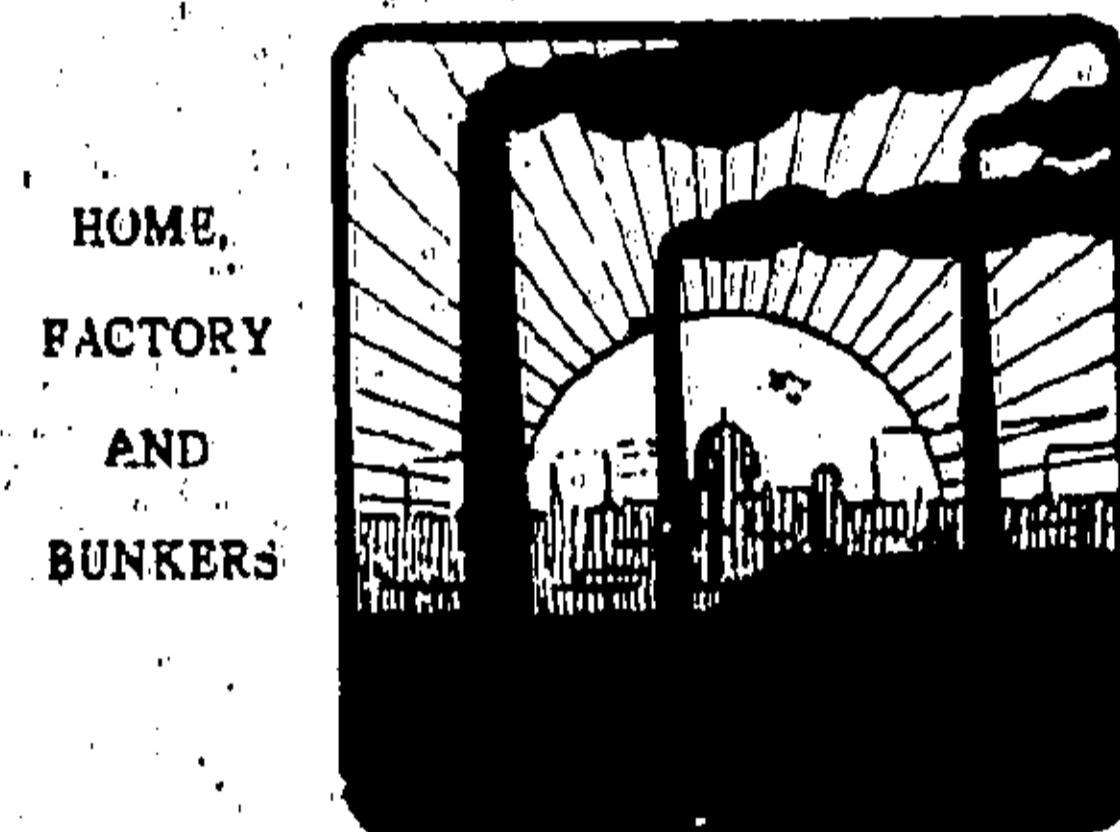


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Beryl Halley, stage beauty, feels she is due £15,000 from a facial specialist. Beryl alleges her name appeared under photographs "before and after," one showing her with a double chin, something, she says, she never carried.



The cap, with visors at both ends, and the pipe make the picture complete—the modern girl in the Sherlock Holmes make-up.



CRASH KILLS TWO IN MOTOR TRUCK.

In a grade crossing crash, two men in a motor truck were killed and their bodies tossed onto the cow-catcher of the engine. A third occupant of the truck was injured badly.



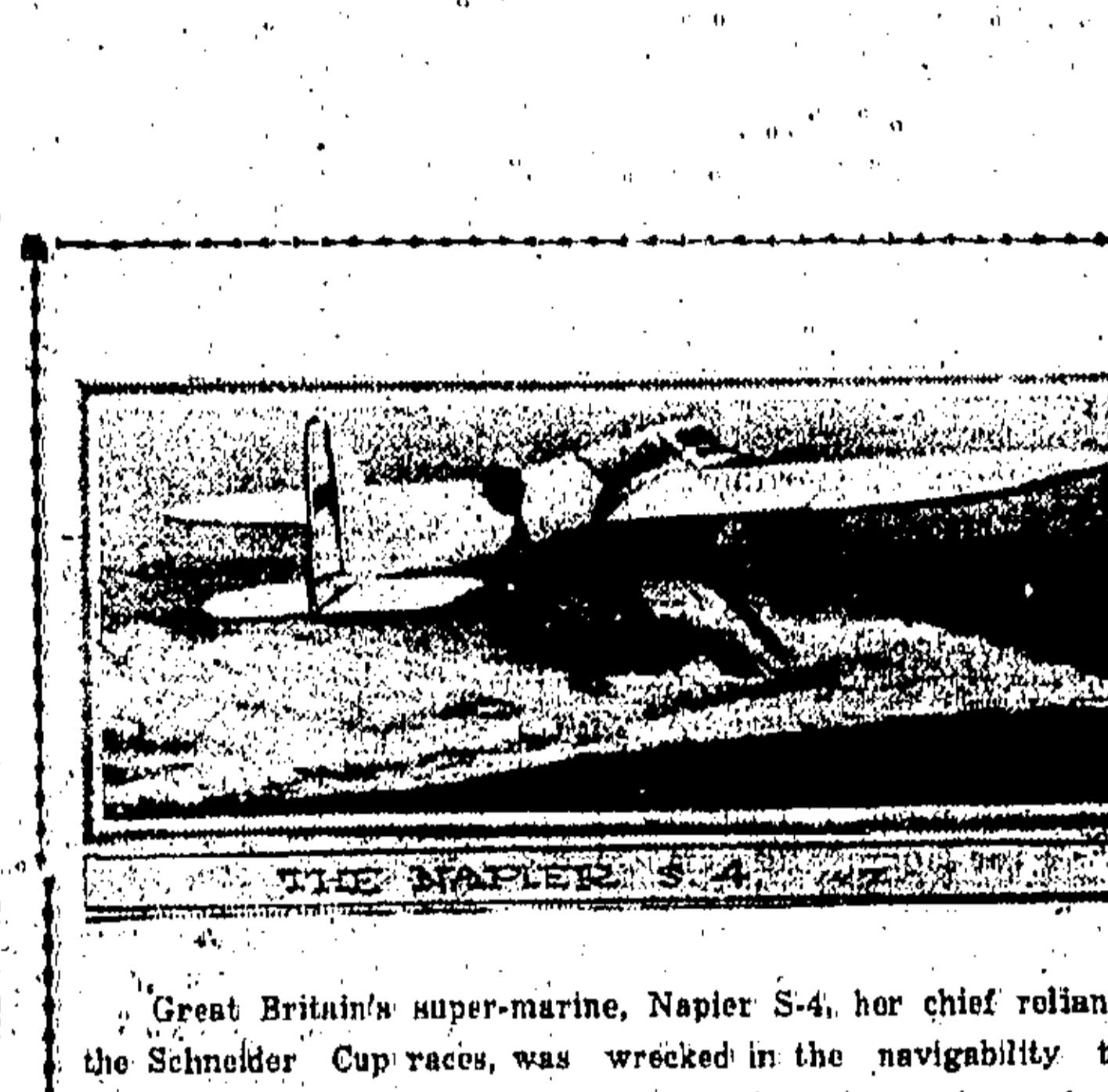
IN THE DAYS OF OLD

Grand Daddy can remember the days of the long ago, when the apple of his eye, in her hoop skirt and bonnet, went for a ride with him in the two-wheeled brougham. Nowadays, a motor whisks a young couple into the country.



Lt. OSBORNE WOOD

Lieut. Osborne Wood, son of the Governor-General of the Philippines, is said to have made \$100,000 in real estate after losing \$1,000,000 at the gambling tables of Cannes, Monte Carlo and Deauville.



THE NAPIER S-4

Great Britain's super-marine, Napier S-4, her chief reliance in the Schneider Cup races, was wrecked in the navigability trials. Capt. Henry C. Baird, the pilot, suffered from immersion and shock, but escaped injury.



RELICS OF THE WORLD WAR

Miss Edith Higgins is busy decorating the curio shop of Samuel Ziegler with war relics, of which he has the largest private collection in the world.



Governor Miriam Ferguson of Texas, against whom rumours of impeachment persist. During her regime, nearly a thousand pardons have been signed for state's prison inmates.



Mrs. PAULINE RITTER MRS. HUGH TURRENTINE

Pauline Ritter and Mrs. Hugh Turrentine, Near East Relief workers, were held up by bandits in the Caucasus, but escaped injury. King Boris, of Bulgaria, to avert war, ordered all his troops to withdraw from the Greek border while the League of Nations inquired into the trouble between the two nations. Princess Nina Midvani, whose father was aide-de-camp to the Czar, is the bride in Paris of Charles Henry Huberlich.

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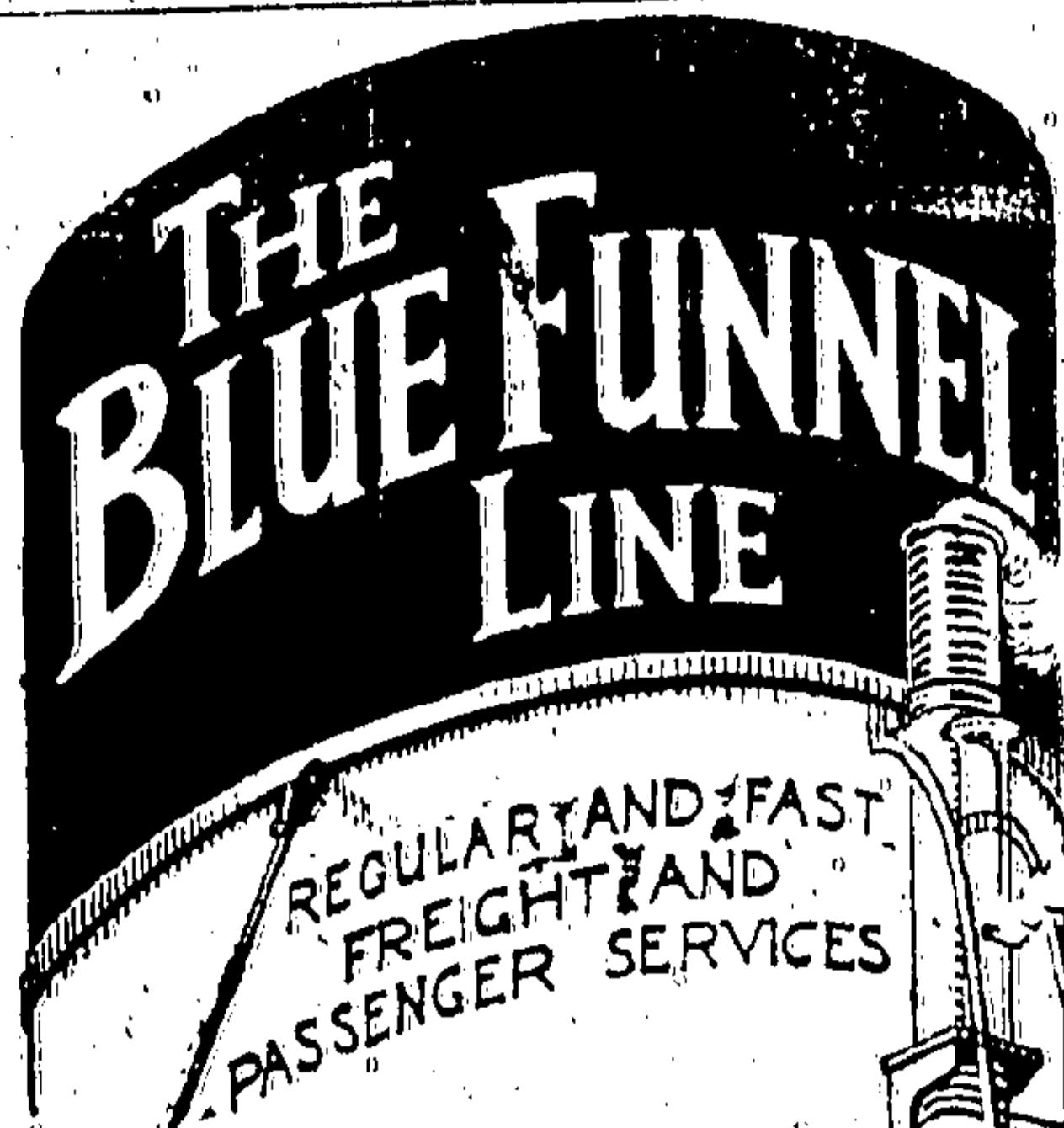
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XMAS LETTER AND PARCEL MAILED FOR CANADA AND U.S.A. Xmas Letter and Parcels Mails for Canada and U.S.A. will be closed in the G.O.P. as follows:

Parcel mail..... Saturday, 29th Nov. 3.00 p.m.

Registered mail..... 4.15 p.m.

Ordinary mail..... 5.00 p.m.

These mails are due in Victoria B.C. and Seattle on 19th December.

Postage stamps should be affixed in the right-hand top corner of the address side of all postal articles.

The Radio Service has reverted to normal hours of working. Messages may be handed in at any hour of the day or night during General Post Office hours at Radio Counter, Milk Hall; at all other times messages should be taken through the corner entrance at Pedder Street and Des Voeux Road to the Radio Office on the 3rd floor of the building, these doors will be closed after 10 p.m. but admittance may be obtained by ringing the night bell.

Radio Traffic with Canton and Swatow is suspended until further notice.

Interport Radio Telephones are subject to delay.

Messages in code must have name of Code used included in text.

## INWARD MAIIS.

FROM	TO	TIME
Saturday, NOVEMBER 29.	Ningpo	
Shanghai	Ningpo	
Australia and Manila	Changchun	
Manila	Pres. Madison	
EUROPE via Suez (Letters and Papers—London)	Kasgar	
22nd Oct. & 23rd Nov.		
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30.	Hansang	
Shanghai & Kowloon	Siberia	
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 31.	Sondon	
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1.	Empress of Asia	
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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29.	DECEMBER 1.	
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## OUTWARD MAIIS.

FROM	TO	TIME
Saturday, NOVEMBER 29.	Kwangtung	10.30 a.m.
Hainan	Taikowanyi	11 a.m.
Amoy and Swatow	Tjiliwong	10 a.m.
Strait and Calcutta (Parcels 10 a.m.)	Santia	
Formosa	Pontong	2 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Kashgar	2.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America & EUROPE via VICTORIA B.C.—due Victoria, B.C.		
10th Dec.—Ship sails on Sunday, the 29th Inst. at 5 p.m. and Europe via Siberia (Letters & Post cards specially superscribed "via Siberia" only.)		
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Sunday, NOVEMBER 30.	Macau	2.30 p.m.
Hainan	Kashgar	3.30 p.m.
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By Order,  
**LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS**,  
Secretaries,  
FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG,  
MARINE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG AND CANTON.  
Hongkong, 25th November, 1925.

## NOTICE.

IN accordance with the Gazette Extraordinary dated 25th inst., the Hongkong Stock Exchange will be closed on FRIDAY, 27th inst.

By Order of the Committee,  
**A. NISSIM**,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 26th Nov., 1925.

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE EIGHTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on SATURDAY, December 5th, 1925.

The First Bell will be rung at 2 p.m.

The charge for admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price.

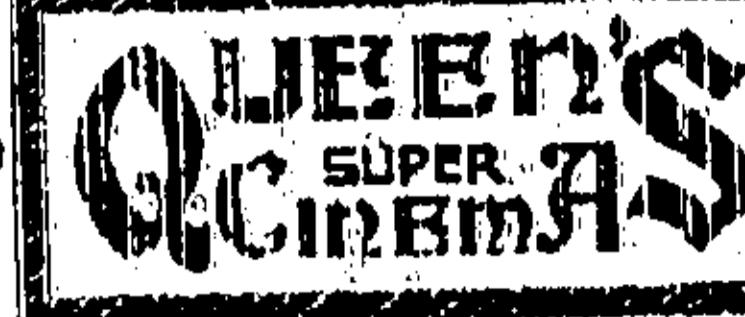
Members are advised that they must show their season tickets to obtain admission to the Members' Enclosure.

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